

Los Angeles World Affairs Council

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January 15, 1974

Mr. Angus Thuermer
Assistant to the Director
The Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Mr. Thuermer:

It was good hearing from you today. The possibility of a spring visit to Los Angeles by Mr. Colby is exciting indeed. I suggest the following dates:

Monday, April 29, 1974
Friday, May 3
- Wednesday, May 8
or Thursday, May 16

If you would like to suggest still another date, please do so, and we will see what we can work out. I would also like to suggest a dinner meeting for Mr. Colby that would be hosted by the World Affairs Council of Orange County. A division of Los Angeles, the Orange County group boasts more than 1600 members in the fastest growing county in the United States.

You asked, "how many people." While it is always difficult to predict an audience, I can assure you a fine attendance. Our meetings have been averaging about 450 in Los Angeles and about 350 in Orange County. These are large and responsive groups.

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Mr. Colby's day would go as follows: News conference at 11:00 a.m., private reception in his honor at 11:30 with luncheon at 12:00 noon. He will be introduced at 12:45 and should plan to speak for 25-30 minutes. This will be followed by a question and answer period, which should last about 15-20 minutes. The meeting adjourns promptly at 1:45. We then take him to the Los Angeles Times for a one hour, off-the-record briefing with the Times Editorial Board. At approximately 3:15 we drive to Orange County (usually the Newporter Inn), arriving there about 4:30. We will have a suite for Mr. Colby to rest until 7:00 p.m. when the private reception begins. Dinner is at 7:30 with the same format as Los Angeles to follow. The meeting is adjourned at 9:30, and we will return Mr. Colby to his hotel in Los Angeles getting there usually about 10:30 p.m.

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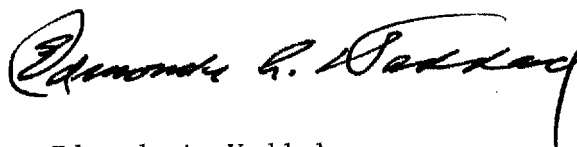
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I would very much appreciate having a biography and two glossy photographs as soon as possible. Please be thinking about a title for the speech, as we will need it for the mailer to our members. Enclosed, for your information, are several current flyers which will give you an idea of how we announce our speakers.

I look forward to hearing from you soon and to the opportunity of hosting Mr. Colby here in Southern California. Warmest regards.

Sincerely,

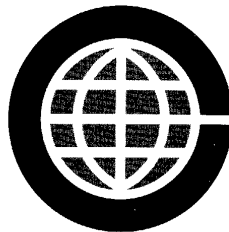
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Edmonde A. Haddad
Executive Director

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THE LOS ANGELES WORLD AFFAIRS COUNCIL
cordially invites you to attend a special LUNCHEON meeting
In Honor Of



CLARE BOOTHE LUCE

Wednesday
January 30, 1974

12:00 Noon
Los Angeles Hilton

\$7.00 per person

"THE FUTURE OF AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY"

Currently serving on President Nixon's Foreign Policy Advisory Board, Clare Boothe Luce has long been regarded as one of America's best known women. As a playwright, a member of Congress from Connecticut, and later appointed by President Eisenhower as Ambassador to Italy, Mrs. Luce has enjoyed a varied and distinguished career. A staunch supporter of Senator Goldwater's bid for the presidency, Mrs. Luce has also been a fervent partisan for the civil liberties of minorities. Nelson Rockefeller only recently appointed her to his Commission on Critical Choices for Americans. We are pleased to welcome her back to the Los Angeles World Affairs Council.

1940's: Congresswoman Luce establishes herself as a potent force on the American scene.

1970's: With William Buckley on television.

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CLARE BOOTHE LUCE, Wednesday, January 30,
at 12:00 Noon at the Los Angeles Hilton Hotel.

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THE LOS ANGELES WORLD AFFAIRS COUNCIL
cordially invites you to attend a Special Luncheon Meeting

In Honor Of
WALTER STOESSEL, JR.

Ambassador Designate of the United States to the Soviet Union

Thursday
January 10, 1974

\$7.50 per person

12:00 Noon
Century Plaza Hotel

"U.S. - EUROPEAN RELATIONS: PERSPECTIVE '74"

Ambassador Designate Stoessel leaves for Moscow at the end of January. The veteran diplomat has served previously in the Soviet capital and also as Ambassador to Poland. It was there he initiated the talks that led to the Sino-American rapprochement. As Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs, he is involved in the key Middle East peace talks in Geneva.

As our guest of honor goes to one of the most sensitive diplomatic posts in the world, we eagerly anticipate his first appearance before this Council.

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on Thursday, January 10, 1974 at the
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